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as second-class mail matter.

National Republican Ticket



For President—
WILLIAM MC KINLEY,
of Ohio.
For Vice-President—
THEODORE ROOSEVELT,
of New York.

For Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce that
H. J. BARGMAN
will be a candidate for Sheriff, subject to
the decision of the Republican County Con-
vention.
Holbrook, Aug. 4, 1900.

REPUBLICAN TERRITORIAL CONVENTION.

HEADQUARTERS REPUBLICAN TERRI-
TORIAL CENTRAL COMMITTEE.
TUCSON, A. T., AUGUST 22, 1900.

To the Republican Party of Arizona:
A convention of delegates of the Repub-
lican party of the territory of Arizona is
hereby called to meet in the city of Phoenix
at 10 o'clock a. m. on September 22, 1900,
for the following purposes:

First. The nomination of a delegate to
congress.
Second. The selection of a territorial Re-
publican central committee.

Third. The transaction of such other busi-
ness as may properly come before it.

The basis of representation will be one
delegate for every fifty votes and for every
fraction of votes over twenty-five cast for
Hon. Alex. O. Brodie for delegate to congress
in November, 1898; therefore the representa-
tion will be as follows:

COUNTY.	BRODIE VOTE.	No. Dele.
Apache.....	291	5
Cochise.....	464	9
Cochise.....	464	12
Gila.....	288	5
Graham.....	221	4
Maricopa.....	1,743	35
Mohave.....	188	3
Navajo.....	339	7
Pima.....	641	13
Pinal.....	273	5
Santa Cruz.....	120	2
Yavapai.....	1,404	28
Yuma.....	242	5

Total number of delegates..... 147

Proxies will be recognized only when pre-
sented by a voter who is a resident of the
county from which the same is issued.

All railroads have been asked to make a
reduced rate for this convention so if no such
rate is in force when delegates leave for the
convention they should take receipts for
money paid and the matter can probably be
arranged at Phoenix for returning free.

A full attendance of delegates is earnestly
desired, as well as the presence of repre-
sentative Republicans from every part of the
territory.

CHARLES R. DRAKE, Chairman.
J. KNOX CORBETT, Secretary.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

Notice is hereby given that on Thursday,
September 20, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day
the Republicans of Navajo county will meet
in convention at the town of Winslow for the
purpose of selecting seven delegates to at-
tend the Republican territorial convention to
be held in the city of Phoenix on the 22nd
day of September to nominate a candidate
for delegate to congress, to select a terri-
torial central committee and for the transac-
tion of such other business as may regu-
larly come before it.

Also to nominate candidates for the va-
rious county offices, select a county central
committee and for the transaction of such
other business as may come before said con-
vention.

For the purpose of selecting delegates to
said convention the Republicans of the va-
rious precincts will assemble in some suit-
able place in each precinct on Saturday, the
15th inst., at such hour as may be convenient
for the residents of the respective precincts,
and choose from the resident Republicans
electors of such precincts. Delegates in ac-
cordance with the following apportionment,
the same being one for each ten votes or
fraction thereof over five as cast for the Re-
publican nominee for congress at the last
general election and is as follows:

Winslow.....	11	Taylor.....	3
St. Joseph.....	1	Showlow.....	2
Holbrook.....	7	Pinetop.....	2
Woodruff.....	2	Pinedale.....	2
Snowflake.....	3	Apache.....	1
Heber.....	1	Kearney's Canyon.....	1
Total.....	37		

A half fare rate for this convention is con-
fidently expected from Holbrook to Winslow.
It is sincerely and earnestly urged that all
precincts be represented by duly elected dele-
gates to said convention.

Done at Winslow this 1st day of September,
1900.
J. F. MARONEY, Chairman.
F. W. NELSON, Secretary.

WATER!

An examination of the territorial
press shows that water development
in all its forms is being pushed all
over the territory. Artesian wells,
open wells with pumping plants,
open ditches tapping underground
currents and reservoirs are being
experimented with and discussed in
different places. More water is the
essential of growth in either popula-
tion or industrial affairs in all parts
of Arizona.

What is the matter with Hol-
brook? We are living over a large
body of underground water, as is
plainly shown by the number of ex-
cellent wells in the town that even
in this dry year have shown no signs
of a lessened supply.

There are unmistakable signs of
artesian water being present in this
valley if one will only go deep
enough after it. We are informed
that artesian water in small flow
has been brought within a few feet
of the surface.

A few miles above this point are
ideal sites for reservoirs in the can-
yon through which flows the Little
Colorado. There is a strong current
of water from three to six feet below
the surface of the Leroux wash
which might be tapped by open
ditches or pumped to the surface by
a small expenditure of power.

No community can ever attain to

permanent and continuous pros-
perity without the backing of agri-
cultural industry, and the growth of
Holbrook depends entirely upon the
development of the surrounding
farming country. Let the people of
the town discuss the matter or emu-
late the good example of the ener-
getic people of the Salt River valley
and hold a mass meeting for the
purpose of adopting means of en-
couraging water development and
storage. Organized effort and small
expenditure of capital will produce
great results here where conditions
are so favorable for all sorts of water
development.

The Republican county conven-
tion is called for September 20. The
Argus trusts that the Republicans
of the entire county are alive to the
importance of the occasion. The
split in the Democratic ranks over
the nomination for delegate to con-
gress gives the Republicans a good
opportunity to win in the territory.
Let us of Navajo county do our
share by sending such delegates to
the territorial convention at Phoe-
nix as will help place a strong can-
didate at the head of the ticket.
Then, with a list of good, strong
men seeking the county offices Na-
vajo county will be sure to give a
good majority for the entire Repub-
lican ticket.

CHAIRMAN JONES has not given up
New York. It will be recalled that
this astute campaign manager didn't
give up the fight in 1896 for several
days after the voting was over.

The Democratic managers have
requested Mr. Altgeld to confine his
remarks to German, but the German
voters will understand the gentle-
man in more ways than one.

It will be seen that Governor
Roosevelt is not going about the
country apologizing for his views of
Democratic encouragement for the
Tagals.

The Hon. John J. Lentz an-
nounces his intention of making
things warm in Ohio. As a hot air
generator Mr. Lentz has no equal.

The Democratic campaign man-
agers are not the least bit opposed
to the policy of claiming votes with-
out the consent of the claimed.

MR. SULZER SAYS he will bare his
breast and defy the empire. Mr.
Sulzer makes a specialty of chal-
lenging windmills.

DICK CHOKER is now utilizing the
Hon. David B. Hill as a combination
punching bag and lawn seat.

TOWN OF SHOWLOW.

Inaccuracy of a Contemporary Re-
garding Way it Received Name.

The Phoenix Gazette says: "Yes-
terday George Adams of Showlow,
Apache county, was commissioned a
notary public. Incidentally, the
people of the country might be in-
terested in knowing how this town
came to be known by its name.

There are two men in Apache county
pretty well known all over the terri-
tory. One is named Snow and the
other Flake. The combination pro-
duced the town of Snowflake. These
two men are inveterate 'seven up'
players and one evening they were
playing in a new and unnamed
town for high stakes, including
money, cattle, etc. The game had
reached a status where the gain of
one point meant its conclusion. The
hands were dealt, the issue as to
trump was decided and Snow said to
Flake, 'Show low and you win.'
Flake had low, showed it and won
the pot. And the new town was
then and there named."

And thus geography and history
perverted by our contemporaries!
We dare not point out all the in-
accuracies in the above. It would be
used as an argument against
statehood for Arizona. Suffice it to
say that Showlow is not in Apache
county; that although the combina-
tion of Snow and Flake were respon-
sible for the name of Snowflake they
never had any connection with the
town of Showlow; and that neither
Lorenzo Snow of Utah nor James
Flake of Snowflake ever played a
game of "seven up" in their lives,
so far as most diligent inquiry among
their friends has been able to di-
vulge.

Stood Death Off.

E. B. Munday, a lawyer of Henri-
etta, Tex., once fooled a grave dig-
ger. He says: "My brother was
very low with malaria fever and
jaundice. I persuaded him to try
Electric Bitters and he was soon
much better, but continued their use
until he was wholly cured. I am
sure Electric Bitters saved his life."
This remedy expels malaria, kills
disease germs and purifies the blood;
aids digestion; regulates liver, kid-
neys and bowels; cures constipation,
dyspepsia, nervous diseases, kidney
troubles, female complaints; gives
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You can spell it cough, cough, cough,
kauf, kaff, kough or kaugh, but the
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On the second Wednesday evening of each
month and on the last Sunday of each month
there will be services at School House morn-
ing at 11:00 and evening at 7:45. Sunday school
at 10:00 each Sunday.
Rev. F. A. SIMPKINS, Pastor.

FOREST RESERVE GRAZING.

Officials Will Return and Cover the
Same Field Again.

About the middle of September
the two representatives of the agri-
cultural department, Forester Pin-
chot and Botanist Coville, who vis-
ited New Mexico and Arizona last
spring to study the question of graz-
ing upon the forest reservations,
will return and cover the same field
again, says the Albuquerque Citizen.
The object of the second trip is to
observe the condition of the lands
directly after being grazed. Their
former trip of inspection gave them
an idea of the condition of the graz-
ing lands after the winter season,
but before sheep had been admitted.

In the former trip they paid es-
pecial attention to the San Fran-
cisco and Black Mesa reserves, but
this time will investigate particu-
larly in the San Francisco and
Grand Canyon reserves, making a
cursory examination in the Black
Mesa. Neither of these gentlemen
feels at liberty to give expression to
his opinion formed on the former
trip, nor will they do so until they
have submitted their views to the
secretary of agriculture in the fall.
It is inferred, however, from their
conversation that unless this com-
ing fall inspection shows very dis-
astrous effects of grazing within the
forest reserves these two officials
will report in favor of the grazing
system. The secretary of the in-
terior may abandon the idea of a
joint commission to make an investi-
gation of this character in view of
this extended investigation by the
agricultural department.

Navajo Democrats.

HOLBROOK, A. T., Sept. 6, 1900.
Editor of the Argus:

With the usual hardihood of the
callow fledgling in journalism and
law, who rush in where angels fear
to tread, your embryonic or idiotic
young man doing the local work in
last week's issue of your "valuable
paper," etc., in a spirit of airy badin-
age and a funeral attempt at wit
pitiful to behold and more pitiful to
read, calls the attention of the pub-
lic to the scarcity in our good town
of Holbrook of the "unwashed and
unlettered." Now, to relieve the
tense feeling caused by his wit (or
lack of it) we will say to this young
man, in the disinterested experience
of age, to possess his soul in patience
and calmly await the results in No-
vember next and he will find there
are a plenty of Democrats in
Holbrook, as there are in the rest of
the county, and—Ergo! Turn your
longing eyes, young man, to where
the north wind winds and the north
star shines, o'er that dismal expanse
of alkali and adobe and you will find
that a plenteous number of Navajo
Democrats will be doing business at
the old stand in the Navajo county
courthouse, "To have and to hold,
with appurtenances for the term of
two years from January 1, 1901, next
ensuing," where we will be happy to
meet our friends the enemy and ex-
tend them the warm hand of fellow-
ship and sympathy.

A. F. McALLISTER.

[Yes, to the north we must look
to find Navajo Democrats, but most
of them are on the reservation and
cannot vote.—Ed.]

A Shocking Calamity

"Lately befell a railroad laborer,"
writes Dr. I. Kellott of Willford,
Ark. "His foot was badly crushed,
but Bucklen's Arnica Salve soon
cured him. It's simply wonderful
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Buy Mining Stock on Installments

If you are not so situated as to
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times as much as it cost you. You
can make more money in a few
months than you can in a lifetime
in your business.

SEE THESE COMPARISONS:

Crown Point shares advanced in ten months from \$1.40 to \$1,860 each.
Consolidated California and Virginia went in seven months from
\$4 to \$2,133.

Becher rose in nine months from \$1.50 to \$1,525.

Ophir from \$2.30 to \$1,670.

Hale and Norcross from \$13 to \$1,208.

Calumet and Hecla from \$1 to \$716.

Suppose after buying 1,000 shares of stock on the installment plan it
should advance strongly and you should begin drawing dividends of \$10
or \$20 a month before you had it half paid for, how would that suit you?

See What Dividends Some of the LEADING MINING COMPANIES ARE PAYING.

1,000 shares of Calumet & Hecla pays annually.....	\$33,000
1,000 shares of Quincy.....	6,000
1,000 shares of Tamarack.....	6,000
1,000 shares of Homestake.....	6,000
1,000 shares of Alaska-Treadwell.....	1,500
1,000 shares of Richardson.....	250
And so on with hundreds of others.	

Take the Hint, Buy Some Stock On Installments.

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